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 X Status And Support For Claim Amendments Pursuant To 37 CFR
 §1.173(c);
 X Reissue Application Declaration By The Inventor (4 sheets);
 X Limited Liability Company Agreement of Acantha, LLC (Articles of
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 X Form PTO-1449 and copies of 2 cited references;
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2. Claims Fee Calculation

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3. Payment of Fees

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**Status And Support For Claim Amendments
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Claims	Support (Ref. to Issued Patent)
Claims 1-28	Original patent claims.
Claim 29	Figs. 1-6; Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line 16; Figs 13-15
Claim 30	Figs. 3-5; Col. 4, line 64-col 5, line 30
Claim 31	Fig. 5, Col 4; line 64-col. 5, line 20
Claim 32	Cancelled
Claim 33	Fig. 5; Col. 5, lines 59-67
Claim 34	Figs. 1-6
Claim 35	Figs. 1-6
Claim 36	Fig. 3; Col. 1, lines 42-55
Claim 37	Fig. 4; Col. 1, lines 45-47; Col. 5, lines 2-15
Claim 38	Figs. 3-5; Col. 4, lines 31-33
Claim 39	Figs. 2-5
Claim 40	Fig. 13
Claim 41	Cancelled
Claim 42	Figs. 5-6; Col. 5, lines 46-67
Claim 43	Fig. 1
Claim 44	Fig. 1; Col. 7, lines 52-57
Claim 45	Col. 7, lines 47-57
Claim 46	Col. 7, lines 49-52
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Claim 48	Col. 6, lines 1-3
Claim 49	Col. 6, lines 1-3
Claim 50	Figs. 2-6
Claim 51	Figs. 3-5
Claim 52	Col. 2, lines 19-46
Claim 53	Col. 2, lines 61-67
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Claim 55	Figs 8 and 10. Col. 6, lines 31-50
Claim 56	Figs. 7-12
Claim 57	Figs. 7, 8 and 10

Claim 58	Figs. 8, 10 and 12
Claim 59	Figs. 7-12; Col. 2, lines 46-60
Claim 60	Figs. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6; Col. 5, lines 30-42
Claim 61	Cancelled
Claim 62	Cancelled
Claim 63	Figs. 1-6; Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line16; Figs13-15; Col. 5, lines 51-59
Claim 64	Col. 5, lines 21-30
Claim 65	Col. 5, lines 15-20
Claim 66	Col. 5, lines 2-8
Claim 67	Col. 5, lines 30-33
Claim 68	Figs. 3, 4 and 5; Col. 4, lines 31-33
Claim 69	Fig. 4; Col. 5, lines 2-8
Claim 70	Fig. 4; Col. 5, lines 2-8
Claim 71	Figs. 13-14; Col. 6, lines 55-67
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Claim 73	Fig. 14
Claim 74	Fig. 6; Col 5, lines 46-67
Claim 75	Fig. 1; Col 7, lines 62-67
Claim 76	Fig. 1, Col 7, lines 52-57
Claim 77	Col. 7, lines 52-57
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Claim 79	Col. 2, lines 6-8
Claim 80	Cancelled
Claim 81	Cancelled
Claim 82	Cancelled
Claim 83	Cancelled
Claim 84	Figs13-15; Col. 5, lines 51-59
Claim 85	Figs13-15; Col. 5, lines 51-59
Claim 86	Figs13-15; Col. 5, lines 51-59
Claim 87	Cancelled
Claim 88	Figs. 8, 10 and 12
Claim 89	Figs. 1-6; Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line16; Figs 7-12; Col. 6, lines 16-54; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 90	Fig. 3; Col. 1, lines 42-55
Claim 91	Fig. 3; Col. 1, lines 42-55

Claim 92	Figs. 3-5; Col.4, lines 31-33
Claim 93	Col.2, lines 61-67
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Claim 95	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 96	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 97	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 98	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 99	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67; Figs. 2-6, lines Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line16
Claim 100	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67; Figs. 2-6, lines Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line16
Claim 101	Figs. 7-12; Col 2, lines 46-60; Col. 7, lines 62-67; Figs. 2-6, lines Col. 4, line 13-col. 6, line16
Claim 102	Figs. 5 and 6; Col. 2, lines 34-38
Claim 103	Fig. 2; Col. 4, lines 14-44
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Claim 105	Figs. 4-5; Col. 5, lines 15-20
Claim 106	Figs. 5-6, lines 51-67
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Claim 108	Figs. 2-12; Col 6, lines 17-54; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 109	Col. 6, lines 1-2; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 110	Col. 1, lines 42-67; Col. 7, lines 62-67
Claim 111	Figs. 7-12; Col. 6, lines 17-54
Claim 112	Figs. 7-12; Col. 6, lines 17-54
Claim 113	Figs. 7-12; Col. 6, lines 17-54
Claim 114	Fig. 5; Col. 5, lines 46-51